



Calcium Chloride Anhydrous

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SECTION 1: CHEMICAL PRODUCT - COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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CHEMTREC (24-Hour Emergency Response)
POISON CONTROL

SUBSTANCE: Calcium Chloride, Anhydrous
TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: Briners Grade, Express®, FCC Dry Food Grade Calcium Chloride, TETRA 94™, Ice Blaster®, WaterShield™, Winter Thaw™
CHEMICAL FAMILY: Inorganic Salt
MSDS CREATION DATE: 07 FEB 94
MSDS REVISION DATE: 28 FEB 02

SECTION 2: COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

COMPONENTS	CAS NUMBER	RTECS NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
Calcium Chloride	10043-52-4	EV9800000	90 - 100%

PROBABLE CONTAMINANT: Calcium Carbonate, Calcium Hydroxide, Calcium Oxide, Alkali Metal Chlorides, Alkaline Earth Metal Chlorides

SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

NFPA RATINGS: (SCALE 0-4): HEALTH - 1 FIRE - 0 REACTIVITY - 1
EMERGENCY OVERVIEW: Odorless, colorless to white pellets. May cause skin, respiratory tract and eye irritation. Reacts with water to liberate heat.
POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:
INHALATION, SKIN CONTACT, EYE CONTACT: May cause irritation
INGESTION: May cause nausea.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION: Remove from exposure area to fresh air.
SKIN CONTACT: Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash affected area with soap or mild detergent.
EYE CONTACT: Flush eyes water or normal saline solution
INGESTION: Seek medical attention.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD: Negligible fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water spray or regular foam. For larger fires, use water spray, fog or regular foam (1996 North American Emergency Response Guidebook, RSPA P 5800.7).
FIRE FIGHTING: Move container(s) from fire area if you can without risk. Apply cooling water to sides of containers that are exposed to flames until well after fire is out. Extinguish fire using agent suitable for type of surrounding fire and/or chemicals. Do not use water directly on material. Avoid breathing corrosive vapors; keep upwind. Dike area to prevent runoff and contamination of water sources.
HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: Thermal decomposition products may include toxic and corrosive fumes of chlorine and hydrogen chloride. Product generates heat upon addition of water, with possible



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spattering. Product may react with some metals (aluminum, zinc, tin, etc.) to release flammable hydrogen gas.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL: For dry spills place material in covered, clean, dry container for disposal.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Observe all federal, state and local regulations when storing this product. Store in a tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE LIMITS:	No occupational exposure limits established by OSHA/ACGIH/NIOSH.
VENTILATION:	Provide local exhaust ventilation system.
EYE PROTECTION:	Wear safety glasses with splash shields or safety goggles/shield.
CLOTHING:	Wear appropriate protective (impervious) clothing.
GLOVES:	Wear appropriate protective gloves.
RESPIRATOR:	Use of a NIOSH approved respirator should be based on contamination levels in the workplace or situation. When warranted, use a face mask particulate respirator with a NIOSH N95 rating such as Moldex 2800N95, MSA 816581 or 3M 8576PN5.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

DESCRIPTION:	Colorless to white pellets.
FORMULA:	CaCl_2
MOLECULAR WEIGHT:	110.99
MELTING POINT:	1440°F (>1600°C)
SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	2.15 @ 77°F (25°C)
WATER SOLUBILITY:	40% @ 68°F (20°C) with evolution of heat
SOLVENT SOLUBILITY:	Soluble in alcohol, acetic acid and acetone

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY: Reacts exothermically with water.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: May burn but does not ignite readily. Flammable, poisonous gases may accumulate in tanks and hopper cars. May ignite combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc.).

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

Boric Oxide + Calcium Oxide:	Possible violent incandescent reaction.
Bromine Trifluoride:	Possible violent reaction.
Furan-2-Peroxydicarboxylic Acid:	Explodes.
Metals:	Corrosive in the presence of moisture.
Methyl Vinyl Ether:	May initiate exothermic polymerization.
Zinc:	Corrodes, releasing flammable hydrogen gas.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION: Thermal decomposition products may include toxic and corrosive fumes of chlorine.

POLYMERIZATION: Does not occur under normal temperatures and pressures.



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SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICITY DATA:

TD_{Lo}: 112g/kg, oral, 20 weeks, rat

LD_{Lo}: 274 mg/kg, subcutaneous, dog

LD₅₀: 1000 mg/kg, oral, rat

LD₅₀: 264 mg/kg, intraperitoneal, rat

Mutagenic data and tumorigenic data-see Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) file.

CARCINOGEN STATUS: None.

LOCAL EFFECTS: Eye, mucous membrane and skin irritant.

ACUTE TOXICITY LEVEL: Moderately toxic by ingestion, slightly toxic by dermal absorption.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

DEGRADABILITY: Product will not biodegrade or bioaccumulate.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of this substance.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Shipping Name-ID Number: Non-regulated.

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA STATUS: Yes

DSL STATUS: Yes

EINECS STATUS: Yes

OTHER TSCA ISSUES: None

SARA 311 CLASSIFICATION: Acute Hazard
Reactivity Hazard

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65: No ingredients found on the Propositions 65 list

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Individuals handling this product should be informed of the recommended safety precautions and should have access to this information.

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